



ALEXANDRIA.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 30.

THE GREAT fault with the national, as well as with the Southern democracy, ever since the war, has been its lack of pluck. Its policy has, since that time, always been defensive, and never aggressive, and defensive warfare rarely succeeds. Though a revenue tariff is a cardinal principle of democracy, the Northern democrats are afraid to avow themselves as its supporters; though Mr. Tilden was fairly elected President, the Northern democrats were afraid to demand his inauguration; and though the South supplies nearly all the votes that elect national democratic tickets, the Southern democrats are afraid to demand that the next democratic candidate for Vice President shall be a Southern man.

As THE national government has a large pecuniary interest in the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, and as that canal is a feeder of the national Capital, and as there is no good reason why Congress should not make an appropriation to keep that canal in navigable condition. What Congress should do in the case would be to make an appropriation large enough to produce the canal from Cumberland to the Ohio, thereby carrying out the design of General Washington, enlarging the supplies and improving the defenses of the national Capital, and also preventing the railroads from having a monopoly of the freight trade between the Ohio and the Atlantic coast.

Mr. Most having been again convicted in New York of attempting to incite the anarchists of that city to murder, will serve another term of imprisonment, during which he will be compelled to limit his instructions relating to the manufacture and use of dynamite bombs to his prison pals. Confinement and prison fare will not cure Mr. Most, but thirty-nine, well administered, would thoroughly relieve him of all his anarchistic ideas, and make him a good and industrious citizen of his adopted country, or, what would be just as well, induce him to seek a new pasture.

AS OUT of the 320,000 voters in Georgia, about two-thirds of whom are white democrats, only 27,000 voted at the last Congressional election, according to the premises assumed by Mr. Murat Halstead, the bulldozers of that State not only suppress the republican and negro vote thereof, but also the white and democratic vote. But no man at all familiar with the character of the white men of Georgia can conceive the idea that a majority of those men would permit a minority to suppress their votes. Mr. Halstead will have to try again, for such reasoning as his, as ex-Senator Thurman would say, "wont do."

NOW THAT the American opponents of the Panama canal have announced the failure of that undertaking, and that an American company has sent an engineering party to survey a canal route through Nicaragua, Commodore Sava, the president of the dredging company that has completed a part of its contract on the Panama canal arrives from the Isthmus, and says the canal will not only be a success, but will be open to navigation by the time originally specified by Mr. Lesseps.

THE FACTS that the President has just removed the postmaster at Cohoes, an offensive republican partisan, whose official term does not expire until next March, and that he made contributions to the democratic campaign fund in New York, show that his ideas of civil service reform have undergone a considerable salutary change, and that he is desirous of putting himself in accord with the vast majority of his party on that subject.

REPRESENTATIVE DOUGHERTY, of Florida, was arrested last week for violating the law by gathering his crop on Sunday. He was released upon the testimony of some of his colored hands, who swore that though they had known him since his babyhood, they had never seen him do a stroke of work in all his life. The Sunday law, in this case, was, by this testimony, evidently reduced to an absurdity.

THE FACT that the actual democratic majority in this State at the recent election was only 426, no matter from what cause, shows plainly enough that the work of carrying Virginia for the next national democratic ticket will be no child's play, and that in order to attain that desirable object there must be no more monkeying with democratic principles and policy by either the State or the national democracy.

FROM WASHINGTON.

(Special Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30, 1887.
It is currently reported at the Capitol to day that so anxious are the republican Senators to have every thing move along smoothly in the reorganization of the Senate that they will be willing to allow Senator Riddleberger all of Virginia's quota of the patronage of that body, which includes, among other places, the new hold by ex-Auditor Brown Allen and Capt. Asa Rogers, but that as yet Senator Riddleberger has asked for neither.

Representative Wise of Virginia, when asked to-day what he thought of the advisability of nominating a Southern man for the second place on the next national democratic ticket, replied that that was a subject about which he had not thought, and that he would like to know who the Southern man would be before he would think about it.

No appointment has yet been made to fill

the existing vacancy in the position of assistant engineer of the heating room of the Treasury Department. Mr. Frank Price, of Alexandria, a strongly endorsed applicant for the place, will be examined as to skillful qualifications for the place to-morrow. If he shall pass, the papers in the case will be considered. If he shall fail, Mr. Wm. Moore, the other Alexandria applicant, will be appointed without further delay.

To show how the mere question of office is the absorbing one in politics, it is only necessary to visit the Capitol in the day or the hotel lobbies at night. In these places the chief topics of conversation, not only among the other people who are drawn here by the commencement of the Congressional session, but among the representatives, the men who are to suggest and frame the laws of the country, is who shall be the door-keeper of the U. S. House of Representatives. The charges against Mr. Donaldson, the present incumbent, have assumed tangible form, and are being prosecuted by Representative Breckinridge of Arkansas, who, as previously stated, threatens to make them a matter for Congressional investigation should Mr. Donaldson be re-elected. Among the charges is one to the effect that W. A. Smith of Richmond has been borne on the rolls of the House for two years without having done any duty and without having furnished a substitute. But that is the slightest charge in the lot, the others involving various sorts of personal and official crookedness. Mr. Hurt, Mr. Donaldson's strongest opponent, seems to be confident that he will be elected.

A familiar with the proceedings of the U. S. Supreme Court, and a constant attendant of that Court, says he thinks the Virginia habeas corpus cases will be decided on Monday next. He heard all the argument in these cases and the questions that were asked by several members of the court. He says the court having decided some of the questions involved once before by a vote of five to four, the minority will look upon those questions as res adjudicata, and he therefore thinks the ruling of Judge Bond will be sustained.

The New York Democratic Association of this city will give a banquet here to-morrow night to Secretary of State Cook and District Attorney Fellows of New York. Mayor Hewitt and other distinguished New York democrats will be present.

The democratic Senators, as stated in this correspondence yesterday, have determined to oppose the swearing in of any of the new Senators unless Senator Turpie, of Indiana, shall be included among them. They have also determined to request Mr. Lucas of West Virginia to abandon his vain contest and let Mr. Faulkner be sworn in without objection. With both these Senators admitted, the Senate would be tied if Mr. Riddleberger should ever vote with the democrats.

VIRGINIA NEWS.

Monday night Mr. E. S. Cardozo, of Henric county, died suddenly at his residence, near the Junction.

Mr. Richard Bryar, an old and respected citizen of Clarke county, living about two miles north of White Post, died Tuesday.

It is proposed to erect a monument in Richmond to the private soldiers of the Confederacy who lost their lives in the service. Twelve prisoners were sentenced to the penitentiary in the Corporation Court of Norfolk yesterday two of them for 15 and 20 years.

Col. John W. Grantham, one of the most prominent and widely known citizens of Jefferson county, W. Va., died on the 16th, aged about 72 years.

A delegation of students from the University of Virginia will invite President Cleveland and wife to attend the commencement exercises of the University next June.

C. N. Marsteller, near Manassas, was dreadfully mangled by being dragged by a horse he was leading last Wednesday, the halter, having a slip knot, becoming fastened to his wrist.

Yesterday Jas. Jordan, one of the crew of the schooner Britain, lying at Clifton's wharf, on the Nausomund river, fell overboard and was drowned, though every effort was made to save him.

Gen. W. C. Wickham, in consequence of his appointment as receiver of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, has resigned the second vice-presidency of the Newport News and Mississippi Valley Railroad. Mr. John Y. Yarrington, of Lexington, Ky., has been elected to the vacancy.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Richmond and Petersburg railroad was held at Richmond yesterday. The receipts over and above all expenses were \$100,000. Many improvements were made during the year. The old board of directors and President F. R. Scott were re-elected.

Thirty hands were taken in the Norfolk navy yard yesterday to work on the new dry dock. The coffer-dam at the entrance to the dock to facilitate the work of excavation will be built first, and when that is completed—about the first of the year—five hundred hands will be put to work digging and driving piles.

The coroner's jury in the Wey murder case in Lexington yesterday returned the following verdict: "The jury sworn to inquire how and by what means the said W. C. J. Wey came to his death, upon their oaths do say that W. C. J. Wey came to his death by a blow with a stone in the hands of Jennie Brown, and that Harry Brown, Chas. Morris and Maj. Johnson were accessories to the murder."

FOREIGN NEWS.

A writ has been sworn out by Mr. Mandeville against the Governor of Tallomare prison for assault. The charge is based upon the treatment he received at the time his clothes were stripped from him by the prison authorities.

An attempt to evict a tenant named Foley, at Wexford, Ireland, yesterday, was attended with great difficulty. The evictors, in order to effect an entrance, made a breach in the wall with a battering ram. While doing this boiling water and stones were thrown at them by the tenants. The constables brought up a fire engine and retaliated by drenching the tenants with water. The occupants of the house yielded after an hour's resistance. Ten arrests were made.

The radical journals of Paris oppose M. Ferry as a candidate for the presidency, and accuse him of bribery and corruption in the administration of affairs in Tunis and Tonquin. A number of members of the Chamber of Deputies requested President Grevy yesterday not to resign. Several deputies waited upon M. Goblet and endeavored to induce him to join a cabinet with M. Clemenceau as premier, with the object of retaining M. Grevy in the presidency. M. Goblet declined.

The great unionist meeting, for the purpose of addressing which Lord Hartington and Mr. Goschen visited Dublin, was held in Leinster Hall last night. The chairman handed to Lord Hartington an address approving his policy and signed by 1,300 members of the Chamber of Commerce. He concluded his speech with a repudiation of the charge that he had changed his opinions with regard to the question of local government in Ireland, and had ignored the national sentiment of that country.

John S. Hollingshead, a clerk in the Washington Gas Company's office, has absconded, it is alleged, with \$1,000 or more of the company's money.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The New York Herald has advanced its price from two to three cents per copy.

The excitement at Frederick, Md., over a reported intention to attack the jail has subsided.

A fleet of oyster dredgers opened fire on the Maryland police sloop Mary Compton, in Chester river yesterday and forced her to retreat.

It has been decided in Philadelphia that no advance will be made in the price of coal during December but a reduction of one dollar a ton probable.

A movement is on foot in Boston for the establishment of a new telegraph company, to be known as the Postal Automatic Telegraph Company.

Chester Holcomb, of Pekin, China, formerly of the American legation, is in this country to get capital for mining and other schemes in China.

Peter Wolf, the anarchist who threatened to blow up State's Attorney Grinnell, was fined \$50 and put under bonds to keep the peace in Chicago yesterday.

Senator Gorman predicts that a tariff bill will be passed by Congress during the coming session. He thinks Speaker Carlisle should decline a re-election and assume the democratic leadership in the House.

The Western Union Company has reduced its tolls. Within the section south of, and including Virginia and Tennessee, and east of the Mississippi River, the maximum rate will be reduced from sixty cents to fifty cents.

The anarchists of Chicago have prepared a circular for distribution among the workmen which declares that force is the only means of success and urges the believers in their doctrine to stand by their cause even if it leads to death.

A crowd of negro railroad hands broke into the Oakland, Fla., jail Monday morning, and carried away Wm. Williams, who Elated Gustave Nells, near Mascott, Saturday night. Williams was lynched, so say his friends, but his body cannot be found.

The Governor of Colima, Mexico, has offered a reward of \$10,000 for the capture of the bandit Euclio Bernal. He has ruined and almost depopulated many districts of San Ignacio, and his terrible massacres are known throughout the republic.

The well known firm of Brown, Wood & Kiegan, dry goods commission merchants of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Chicago, has gone into liquidation. The firm was one of the leading ones in this country, doing a business of over \$12,000,000 to \$14,000,000 a year, controlling many large mills, and supposed to have a large capital for their trade.

R. S. Smith, editor of the Red Wood, (Cal.) Times and Gazette, was shot yesterday by Dr. L. E. Powell. The shooting grew out of the publication of an article by Smith in which Powell was charged with defrauding a widow. Smith is in a critical condition. Powell is said to be a brother of T. E. Powell, democratic candidate for Governor of Ohio at the late election.

Sullivan and Mitchell were matched in London last night to fight to a finish, with bare knuckles, for \$2,500 a side. Each posted \$500, and the balance is to be put up within a week. Mitchell said that the fight might not take place until after the Smith-Kilrain fight. Sullivan wanted to fight last night. It has been decided that the Smith-Kilrain fight shall take place in Spain and that twelve men on each side shall be allowed to witness the fight, instead of fifty, as originally proposed.

In New York yesterday Herr Most, the anarchist, was found guilty of talking incendiary. After argument the case was given to the jury at 3:30 o'clock, p. m., and at 10 o'clock last night they returned a verdict of guilty. The verdict created general surprise, as the prevailing impression had been that the evidence was insufficient.

The judge's charge was also considered to be in Most's favor. It is supposed that the jury were influenced by Most's bad record as an agitator and the fact of his many previous convictions on similar charges. Most's counsel moved for a new trial, and argument on the motion will be heard next Monday; sentence was, therefore, deferred. Most will be locked up in the Tombs until the question of a new trial is decided.

THE LONGEST BALLOON VOYAGE.—Prof. John Wise, a world famed aeronaut, sailed through the air in July, 1859, from St. Louis, Mo., to Henderson, J. B. county, N. Y.,—a distance in a straight line of 835 miles. He laid claim to 1,050 miles, by reason of the many turns taken during the trip, which took his balloon out of a direct course into circles and curves. This voyage is the longest recorded in balloon history. The balloon was in the air over night—a period of about twenty hours. Prof. Wise tried more than once, but without success, to equal or exceed the famous trip mentioned. Finally, a few years ago, he left St. Louis in a balloon on a long trip, for the last time. He has never been heard from. A reporter who went with him was found dead some weeks later on the shore of Lake Michigan.

By reason of this and other disasters, the suggestion of a long air voyage gives rise in the public mind to a keen sense of the peril which attend every attempt to fly in the sky over night.—St. Nicholas for December.

The Bank of England doors are now so finely balanced, that a clerk, by pressing a knob under his desk, can close the outer doors instantly, and they cannot be opened again except by special process. This is done to prevent the daring and ingenious unemployed of the metropolis from robbing the bank. The bullion department of this and other banks are nightly submerged several feet in water by the action of the machinery. In some banks the bullion department is connected with the manager's sleeping room, and an entrance cannot be effected without shooting a bolt in the dormitory, which in turn sets in motion an alarm. If a visitor during the day should happen to knock off one from a pile of half sovereigns the whole pile would disappear, a pool of water taking its place.

A citizen of Bagdad, Fla., passing through a neighbor's peanut field, helped himself to some nuts that he found here and there laid on the top of stumps. After he had eaten his fill it occurred to him that the nuts might have been poisoned and put on the stumps to kill crows; and then he was sure that he felt the poison stealing through his system. He hurried home and sent a messenger to the owner of the peanuts to ask if they were poisoned, and while waiting for an answer drank melted lard as an antidote to the poison. He had swallowed nearly a gallon and was indeed feeling badly when the messenger returned with the information that the peanuts were all right. The citizen does not hanker after peanuts any more.

An Illinois farmer pulling stumps the other day unearthed a tin box, apparently long buried, which contained \$65.

"Hence! loathed melancholy. Hence! despondency, temper and care! My sinful, trying, vexing, and blasted cold is gone—cured by one bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup."



TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

A Frightful Monstrosity.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Nov. 30.—Lon Mann and John Hoff, wood choppers, upon returning from work Saturday night last discovered that some one had made an attempt to break open the door of their hut, and tracks in the fresh earth about the place indicated that their visitor had been there very recently. Mann and Hoff went in search of the depredator, and having beaten about in the brush and undergrowth for more than an hour in all directions, were about to give up the search and return home when they stumbled over the form of the most frightful and hideous looking creature that ever met the gaze of human eyes. They described it as undoubtedly of human form in face and body but so frightfully deformed as to leave only a faint resemblance. The body as far as they could observe was entirely naked and black and rough. The head bore a slight resemblance to a negro's, the eyes almost protruded from their sockets and fangs stood out from a horribly shaped mouth. The monstrosity in its locomotion used its feet and what were undoubtedly its arms from the elbows to where the hands should have been, as forefeet. The two men notified their neighbors, and together they followed the direction taken by the creature, but gave up the hunt when night came on without finding a trace of it. Yesterday about 20 men resumed the hunt following the trail in the snow which led to the river, where it was lost. It is thought the monstrosity was drowned in an attempt to cross the river. Mann came up to it once in the brush and when he attempted to capture it was severely bitten in the arm.

Fishermen Drowned.

ERIC, Pa., Nov. 30.—James McLaughlin and Robert Pryor, fishermen, were drowned about a half mile off the shore of Presque Isle yesterday. The manner of their death is remarkable. They started out early yesterday morning and pulled their nets, making such a large haul that the boat was laden nearly to the water's edge. At this time they were two miles from shore and the surface of the water was covered with slush ice several inches thick. The men weighed anchor and started back but the wind rising caused the boat to pitch heavily and every lurch caused her to ship large quantities of semi liquid ice. Seeing that it was impossible to reach Erie harbor the men turned for shore, but when half a mile out an unusually heavy flood drove a large block of ice into the boat and she slid under, disappearing from view. The men struggled in the water and ice for a time but were soon overcome by the cold, in sight of a crowd on shore which could render no assistance.

Suicide of a Young Lady.

DAVENPORT, Iowa, Nov. 30.—Oxford Junction, a small town forty miles north of here, is greatly excited over a suicide which occurred there yesterday. Ben Cusley and Charles A. Logan, two prominent young men, were rival suitors for the hand of Elizabeth Watson, 17 years old, daughter of a well known farmer. The two men met at the girl's home yesterday morning, when a desperate encounter ensued, the victor to have the prize. Cusley was finally successful, driving his rival off at the point of a revolver. Logan was the favorite with the girl and yesterday afternoon she sent a bullet through her heart.

The Drummers' Tax.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 30.—In the U. S. Circuit Court here to day, Judges Bond and Seymour presiding, in this case known as the drummers' tax case, brought about by a petition of A. W. Henderson for a writ of habeas corpus, it was adjudged that the petitioner be discharged. The State appealed. The petitioner, Henderson, was arrested by the sheriff of Chowan county for selling goods without a license. He sued out a writ of habeas corpus before Judge Bond and at the hearing before the latter, in Baltimore last summer, the case was continued to this term of the court.

A Fatal Plunge.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 30.—George Denham of the British steamer Ocean King, from London, which arrived here November 16, yesterday afternoon accompanied by a friend, took a carriage for the West End. Soon after leaving the vehicle Captain Denham concluded to take a bath. Instead of going down the bath-house steps, the captain plunged head foremost into the lake. His head coming in contact with some hidden obstruction his neck was broken. His body was brought to this city and turned over to his friends.

Suicide of Jack McCormick.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Jack McCormick, a former well to do citizen but reduced through dissipation to the condition of a tramp and wife beater, committed suicide by hanging in the jail this morning. He is the man who a short time ago stood up before John L. Sullivan for three rounds and in the fourth was knocked about twenty feet.

The Crown Prince.

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—Dr. Telschow, the court dentist, has been summoned to San Remo to operate on the Crown Prince's teeth. A favorable conclusion is drawn from this circumstance, as the operation would have been postponed, it is thought, had the prince's condition not been improved.

A Gigantic Scheme.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Nov. 30.—The Standard Oil Company, it is said, is about to construct a grand trunk pipe line from Chicago to New York via the Ohio and Pennsylvania oil fields. The work will cost \$5,000,000, and is rumored necessary by the high railroad rates consequent upon carrying into effect the interstate commerce law.

Wife Murder and Suicide.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 30.—A meagre outline of a tragedy enacted Monday at

Amber, a small village in Blue Earth county, Minn., was received yesterday. A farmer named Clow shot and fatally wounded his wife and then committed suicide. The pair had separated on account of family troubles.

Assassinated.

GREENFIELD, Mass., Nov. 30.—David Randall, of Turner's Falls, a gardener proprietor of a fruit farm, was shot and killed last night, while sitting by a window in his house, by some unknown party. The charge was from a shot gun fired outside the house.

Affairs in France.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—The commanders of the different army corps have received sealed instructions, which they are to open in the event of an outbreak following the election of a new president.

COURT OF APPEALS YESTERDAY.—Philips and wife against Ferguson and a's. Appeal allowed and supersedeas awarded to decree pronounced by the Circuit Court of the city of Petersburg on the 14th day of June, 1887.

Young against Town of Boynton. Argued by A. S. Lee, eq., for plaintiff in error and C. J. Faulkner, eq., for defendant in error, and submitted.

Read against Richmond and Alleghany Railroad Company. Argued by J. S. Parish, eq., for plaintiff in error.

PROSPECTIVE WEDDINGS.—Mr. R. L.

Moncure, Jr., and Miss Nannie Waller; and Mr. R. A. Moncure and Miss Agnes Waller, all of Stafford county, will be married at Clifton Chapel on Wednesday evening, December 7th next.

Rev. T. C. Page, of Stafford county, and Miss Powers, of Clarke county, will be married early next month.

Mr. Frank Eustace and Miss Estelle Bloxton, and Mr. Jas. Musselman and Miss Rose, all of Stafford county, will be married next month.—Fredericksburg Star.

Harry Houseley was bound over to keep the peace at Heaton, Derbyshire, Eng., recently for sending the following letter to Eliza Elliott, a female Captain of the Salvation Army: "Dear Captain: I just write to ask you a favor. I want to know if you will marry me, as I have taken a fancy to you. If you don't agree with my favor, it will be worse for you. I either mean to marry you or murder you. If you say no, I mean to do for you, so you can order your coffin at once. I know I shall have to be hanged for it, but I don't want to go to hell by myself. I want you to go with me. Prepare to meet your God. Your comrade, Harry Houseley."

A resident of Cambridge, New York, is the father of a small boy and owner of a big Newfoundland dog. One day last summer when the dog was new to him, he tested his life saving qualities. To make the test occurred to him as he was walking with his boy and dog by the side of a deep pool of water; and being an impulsive person he at once threw the little lad into the pool. The dog looked upon this performance with apparent approval and sat down and watched with interest the struggles of the child. The father to save his offspring's life was obliged to jump into the water, and when he came out he kicked the dog in a way calculated to grieve Mr. Bergh.

Michael Donaldson, of Hudson, Minn., has developed a genuine case of leprosy, much to the consternation of his neighbors.

Mr. Schrader, a book-keeper at 11 German Street, Baltimore, Md., states:—"I've used Salvation Oil for rheumatism from which I've suffered greatly for a long while and can say it entirely relieved me. I would not be without it at any cost."

The North American Review for December has been received from its publishers in New York. Its contents are: Universities Hominum, by Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone, M. P.; Concerning Shakespeare, by Lawrence Barrett; A Last Word to Col. Ingersoll, by Rev. Henry M. Field, D.D.; Possible Presidents—President Cleveland, by Dorman E. Eaton; Dissect in England, by Rev. Joseph Parker, D.D.; The Coming Civilization, by Felix L. Oswald; Ireland and the Victorian Era, by Alexander Sullivan; An Election in New York, by Edgar J. Levey; Land Stealing in New Mexico, by George W. Julian; Compulsory Voting, Demanded, by Harris J. Clinton; Presidential Hand-Shaking, by C. L. Norton; National Plague-Spot, by George Nelson; Our National Digestion, by Geoffrey Chapman; No Sectarian Public Schools, by Jeremiah Juby; Duty of Leaders of Christian Thought, by Rev. J. B. Wesson; Animal Intelligence, illustrated, by Daniel Withthrop; Churchmen and Reformers, by C. K. Whipple; and Book Reviews and Notices.

I have not used all of one bottle yet. I suffered from catarrh for twelve years, experiencing the most distressing dropping in the throat peculiar to that disease, and nose bleed almost daily. I tried various remedies without benefit until last April, when I saw Ely's Cream Ealm advertised in the Boston Budget. I procured a bottle, and since the first day's use have had no more bleeding—the catarrh is entirely gone.—D. G. DAVIDSON, with the Boston Budget, formerly with Boston Journal.

MEDICINAL.

ELIXIR BABEK, A vegetable compound, contains no Quinine. A safe and positive cure for MALARIA, FEVER and AGUE; also as a tonic for strengthening and invigorating the system.

For sale by all druggists. Fifty cents a bottle three bottles for \$1.25. sep2 3m

LOST AND FOUND.

STRAYED OFF Monday afternoon, a SMALL BLACK DOG, answering to the name of JIM. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at this office. nov30 3c

CALIFORNIA APRICOTS and EGG PLUMS, canned, choice, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

50 CASES HONEY DROP and ABSO SUGAR CORN just received by J. C. MILBURN.

JAMAICA ORANGES and prime BALDWIN APPLES just received by J. C. MILBURN.

PURE BLACKBERRY CORDIAL, made for family use. GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

MIXED MEAT, PRESERVES and JELLIES just received by J. C. MILBURN.

NEW CROP NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, extra fine quality, received to-day by J. C. MILBURN.

FRESH ITALIAN MACARONI, Breakfast Ham and New York Beans just received. GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

DRY MADERIA WINE, very old, purely medicinal in quart bottles. GEO. MCBURNEY & SON.

SARATOGA POTATO CHIPS, fresh, for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

FRESH MIXED DINNER NUTS just received By J. C. MILBURN.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

New York, Nov. 30.—The stock market opened quiet but firm, with most of the list at 1/4 to 3/4 per cent. above yesterday's final prices, though several were unchanged. The market was steady to strong in the early trading, though the movement was confined to a few stocks which monopolized the business done, and gains in the list ranged up to 1/2 per cent. After 10:30 there was a reaction and the market became quite dull, prices being carried back to the neighborhood of opening figures and in some cases slightly better. Money easy at 3/4.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 30.—Virginia Gas consolidated: 47; past-due coupons 62 1/2; 10-40s 36 1/2; new 31 3/4 bid to-day.

WHOLESALE PRICES OF PRODUCE NOV. 30.

Flour, fine.....	\$2.50	@	2 1/2
Superfine.....	2.75	@	3 00
Extra.....	3.75	@	4 00
Family.....	4.30	@	4 75
Fancy brands.....	4.75	@	5 10
Wheat, Longberry.....	.78	@	.86
Fultz.....	.77	@	.82
Mixed.....	.77	@	.84
Fair Wheat.....	.75	@	.77
Damp and tough.....	.65	@	.72
Corn, white, old.....	.54	@	.55
Yellow.....	.50	@	.52
New Corn.....	.49	@	.51
Corn Meal.....	.55	@	.56
Rye.....	.54	@	.60
Oats, new.....	.32	@	.36
Butter, Virginia prime.....	.020	@	.022
Common to middling.....	.012	@	.015
Eggs.....	.024	@	.025
Live Chickens.....	.06	@	.07
Dressed Chickens.....	.09	@	.10
Live Turkeys.....	.08	@	.09
Dressed Turkeys.....	.08	@	.11
Dressed Pork.....	.550	@	.600
Hind quarters Beef.....	.05	@	.06
Fore quarters Beef.....	.03	@	.04
Veal Calves.....	.05	@	.06
Irish Potatoes per bushel.....	.050	@	.070
Onions.....	1.40	@	1.50
Apples per barrel.....	1.50	@	2.50
Dried Peaches, peeled.....	.07	@	.08
" " unpeeled.....	.05	@	.06
" " Cherries.....	.014	@	.015
Dried Apples.....	.05	@	.06
Bacon—Hams, country.....	.011 1/4	@	.012
Best sugar cured Hams.....	.011 1/4	@	.012
Butchers' Hams.....	.011 1/4	@	.012
Breakfast Bacon.....	.01 3/4	@	.012
Dressed Shoulder.....	.08 1/2	@	.08 1/2
Balk shoulders.....	.06 1/2	@	.06 1/2
lg. cl. sides.....	.08	@	.08 1/2
fat backs.....	.07 1/2	@	.07 1/2
bellies.....	.07 1/2	@	.08
Bacon Shoulders.....	.07	@	.07 1/2
" Sides.....	.09	@	.09 1/2
Lard.....	.07 1/2	@	.08 1/2
Smoked Beef.....	.014	@	.014 1/2
Sugar.....	.05 1/2	@	.05 1/2
Brown.....	.05 1/2	@	.05 1/2
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